Terms of Reference for the Peer Review of the Eastern Taiwan Strait population of the Indo-Pacific Humpback Dolphin Status Review Report

The terms of reference for the review are to evaluate the adequacy, appropriateness and application of data and information used in the Status Review document, focusing on the following four questions:

- 1. In general, does the Status Review include and cite the best scientific and commercial information available on the species, their biology, population structure, habitats, threats, and risks of extinction?
- 2. Are the scientific conclusions factually supported, sound, and logical?
- 3. Where available, are opposing scientific studies or theories acknowledged and discussed?
- 4. Are uncertainties assessed and clearly stated?

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